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METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR MANAGING COMPONENT CHANGES TO A BUSINESS CRITICAL APPLICATION IN A PRODUCTION

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicant hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to respond to the December 6, 2001 Notice to File Missing Parts in the above-identified application. With the extension, the response is due on March 7, 2002. A check in the amount of \$55.00, in payment of the fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1), is enclosed herewith.

Please charge any additional fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Reference No. 24220.012. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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